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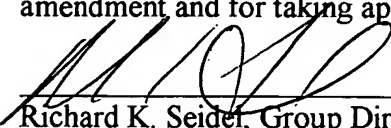
The purpose of this communication is to inform you that the above-identified application is being withdrawn from issue pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.313.

The application is being withdrawn from issue because the application was allowed without taking into consideration the IDS submissions filed April 10, 2006 and May 09, 2006.

The US Patent and Trademark Office records reveal that the issue fee has been paid and recorded on June 22, 2006. The applicant may request a refund, or may request that the fee be credited to a deposit account. However, applicant may wait until the application is either again found allowable or held abandoned. If the application is allowed, upon receipt of a new Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due, applicant may request that the previously submitted issue fee be applied toward payment of the issue fee in the amount identified on the new Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due. If the application is abandoned, applicant may request either a refund or a credit to a Deposit Account.

Any question regarding this communication should be directed to Kammie Cuneo, Supervisory Patent Examiner, at (571) 272-1957.

The application is being returned to the examiner for consideration of the preliminary amendment and for taking appropriate action.

  
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